

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Women Development, Child Welfare & Disabled Welfare Department – ICDS Scheme - Selection of Anganwadi Workers and Anganwadi Helpers - Prescribing minimum Education Qualification and Age limit earmarked to SC & ST habitations – Orders Issued.

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WOMEN DEV. CHILD WELFARE AND DISABLED WELFARE(ICDS) DEPT.

G.O.Ms.No. 38

Dated 3<sup>rd</sup> November, 2008.

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms. No. 21, WD,CW & DW (ICDS) Deptt., dt: 24.08.2007.
2. Govt. Memo.No.PSP/1684/ICDS.A1/2007, dt: 05.12.2007 of WD,CW & DW Dept.,
3. From the Director, WD & CW, Hyderabad, Lr.No.3131-1/K3/2006, dt: 30.08.2008.

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ORDER:

In the G.O. 1<sup>st</sup> read above, fresh Guidelines have been issued for Selection of Anganwadi Workers and Anganwadi Helpers in all projects in the State.

2. The Director, Women Development and Child Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad in the letter 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, while stating the facts of the case has requested the Govt. to issue necessary relaxation orders in respect of age and educational qualifications of the candidates in Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes notified Anganwadi Centres.

3. After careful consideration of the matter, Government hereby issue orders relaxing age and educational qualifications for the Schedule Castes and Scheduled Tribes candidates in notified Anganwadi Centres, where qualified SC/ST candidates are not available as follows:

- i - Lower age relaxation from 21 years to 18 years:- If a candidate who has completed 21 years is not available, a candidate with 18 years of age may be considered for selection (18 to 35 years of age.)
  - ii - Project Directors / District Collectors are permitted to take concerned SCs and STs category candidates with lesser qualification of not less than VIII class pass on one year contract, renewable each year subject to satisfactory performance till such time, until a qualified local SC or ST candidate is available or she attains the qualification.
  - iii -The above relaxation is only for SCs and STs habitations in General and Tribal areas and for posts reserved for SCs and STs only.
4. These guidelines will come into force with immediate effect.
5. The Director, Women Development and Child Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad is requested to take further necessary action in the matter and to issue suitable orders to the Project Directors and Regional Deputy Directors accordingly.

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6. The District Collectors, who are chairmen of Selection Committee shall follow the above relaxation of guidelines in appointment of Anganwadi Workers and Anganwadi Helpers in respect of SC and ST candidates only, where qualified SC/ST girls are not available.

( BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M. CHAYA RATAN,  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The Director, Women Devp. & Child Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad. ( for necessary action)

All the District Collectors.

All the RDDs/Project Directors/CDPOs.

Copy to:

P.S. to Chief Secretary for kind information of CS.

P.S. to Pril. Secretary to WD,CW & DW Deptt.,

P.S. to Pril. Secretary to CM for kind information of CM

P.S. to M (WD,CW & DW) for kind information of Minister.

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// FORWARDED BY :: ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER.